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October 27, 2010

RE: AN INVESTIGATION OF NATURAL GAS RETAIL COMPETITION PROGRAMS

Case No. 2010-00146

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Enclosed please find and accept for filing the original and ten (10) copies of Louisville Gas and Electric Company's Response to the Post-Hearing Data Request of Kentucky Public Service Commission Staff dated October 19, 2010 in the above referenced docket.

Should you have any questions please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Rick E. Lovekamp

cc: Parties of Record

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:		
AN INVESTIGATION OF NATURAL GAS)	CASE NO.
RETAIL COMPETITION PROGRAMS))	2010-00146

RESPONSE OF
LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
TO THE
COMMISSION STAFF'S POST-HEARING DATA REQUEST
DATED OCTOBER 19, 2010

FILED: October 27, 2010

VERIFICATION

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)	SS
The undersigned, J. Clay Murphy,	bein	ng di

The undersigned, **J. Clay Murphy**, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Director – Gas Management, Planning, and Supply for Louisville Gas and Electric Company, and that he has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the responses for which he is identified as the witness, and the answers contained therein are true and correct to the best of his information, knowledge and belief.

J. Clay Murphy

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Leb. 28, 2014

LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

CASE NO. 2010-00146

Response to Commission Staff's Post-Hearing Data Request Dated October 19, 2010

Question No. 1

Responding Witness: J. Clay Murphy

- Q-1. Please provide the number of persons who are responsible for ensuring the reliable operation of the gas system of Louisville Gas and Electric Company ("LG&E").
- A-1. In addition to the five employees in LG&E's Gas Supply Department, there are approximately 280 additional operating personnel (both employees and contractors) who are responsible for ensuring the reliable operation of the gas distribution system. These individuals work in the following departments: Gas Control, Gas Storage Operations, Gas Regulatory Compliance, and Gas Engineering. This response does not attempt to capture the number of all employees who, from time to time, may also perform reliability functions as part of their jobs.